



OPEN SOURCE WORKING GROUP
OPEN DOCUMENT FORMAT FORUM

August 28, 2006, 1:00PM
Sierra Room, Cal/EPA Building

Agenda

- I. Introduction/Welcome** – *Bill Welty, ARB, California*
- II. Defining Openness** – *Simon Phipps, Chief Open Source Officer, Sun Microsystems*
 - Technology trending towards openness
 - What is an open standard?
 - What is ODF? -- Compare and Contrast ODF w/ OpenXML
 - Why is ODF important for Government and the State of California
- III. ODF Alliance** – *Marino Marcich, Managing Director, ODF Alliance*
 - History of alliance and purpose
 - Policy developments
 - Best practices and lessons learned
 - Resources
- IV. ODF in Use** – *Martha Mealy, IBM (TBC)*
 - Applications today
 - Future innovations
- V. Demonstration of Plug-in**—*Gary Edwards, President, Open Document Foundation*
 - RFI and use of ODF plugin in Massachusetts
 - Migrations strategies/ moving forward

VI. Open Discussion

I. Close – *Bill Welty*

Note: Clark Kelso will speak after 2:30pm.